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RESPONSE TO NOTICE OF NON-COMPLIANT AMENDMENT

Dear Sir/Madam:

This paper is submitted in response to the Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment Mailed August 17, 2006.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 4 of this paper.